

HeartWare Q&A Slides Shown

April 25, 2012

CSDP

Description of CEC

- CEC comprised of
 - 1 Chairman
 - 2 Reviewers / Review Teams
- Each event goes to the 2 Reviewers or a member of each Review Team
 - If they agree the adjudication is complete
 - If they disagree the Chairman reviews the case and completes the adjudication

CEC Change

- CEC changed during the period of time to the primary endpoint
 - July 26 2010
 - Chair and one CEC member changed
 - August 23 2010
 - 5 CEC members added to Review Teams to assist with backlog
- Subsequently on October 31 2011 the CEC reverted back to 1 Chairman and 2 Reviewers

Changes in Adjudication Event Confirmation

- Good concurrence on assessment of events
- CEC agreed in 97% of adjudications (590/607) that events met the definition of the event as described in the protocol
 - In only 3% (17) cases they did not believe the event met the protocol definition

Heterogeneous Screening

- A two step consenting process was not in place to specifically define screened and enrolled patients
- Standard of care assessments for screening was at Investigators discretion
- Sites likely knew BTT patients lasting status with regards to eligibility – the most common screen failure reason
- Sites had their own screening procedures

Follow-up on 17 Screen Failures with Consent

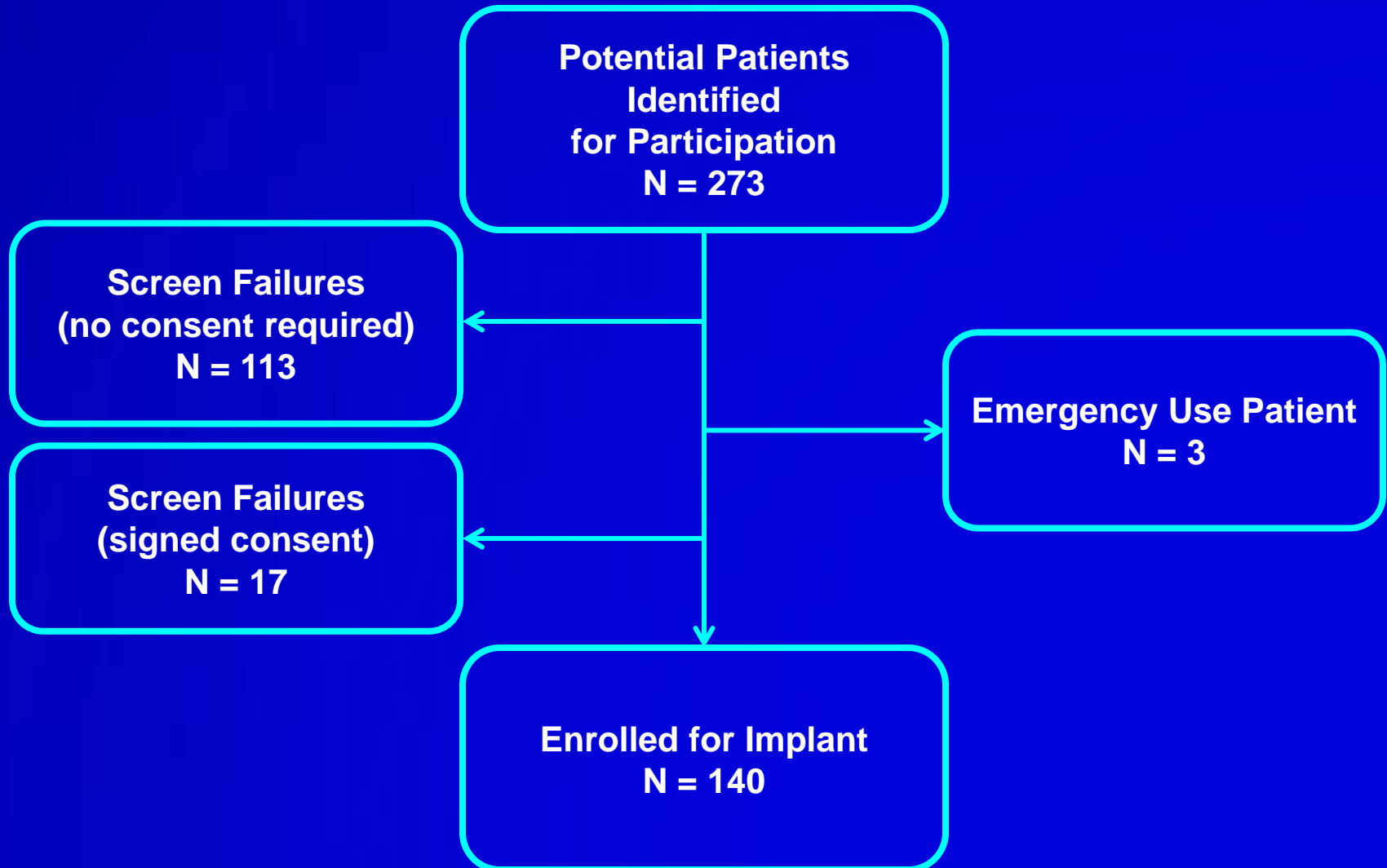
- At FDA request follow-up for status at 6 months post screen failure was sought
- Patients received another device, transplant or no treatment

			<u>Died</u>
■ HeartMate II	12/17	(71%)	1/12
■ Abiomed	1/17	(6%)	1/1
■ Transplant	2/17	(12%)	0/2
■ None	2/17	(12%)	0/2

Enrollment of Women

- From UNOS as of January 6, 2012:
 - 3126 pts listed for heart
 - 2301 males – 73.6%
 - 825 females – 26.4%
- Female enrollment in HeartWare trial: 28%
- Greater enrollment in HeartWare trial may be related to smaller size of device.

Patient Disposition for Trial



Enrollment of Women

- The percentage of women enrolled exceeded the percent of women listed by UNOS as awaiting transplant.

	n	%
UNOS – awaiting transplant	825/3126	26
BTT	39/140	28
Miller et al	28/133	21
Pagani et al	67/214	24

Organ Procurement and Transplantation Network website (Accessed 30 March 2012)

Miller LW, Pagani FD, et al. Use of a Continuous-Flow Device in Patients Awaiting Heart Transplantation. N Engl J Med 2007; 357: 885 - 96.

Pagani FD, Miller LW et al. Extended Mechanical Circulatory Support With a Continuous-Flow Rotary Left Ventricular Assist Device. J Am Coll Cardiol. 2009 Jul 21; 54(4):312-21.

6 Minute Walk: Comparison to Pagani et al. Paper

Subjects included: all patients who walked at both baseline and 6 months (and had a distance (m) reported).

Walked Baseline and 6 Months	Baseline (m)	Month 6 (m)
HeartWare HVAD	260 \pm 140 (n=25)	338 \pm 202 (n=25)
Pagani et al.	201 \pm 140 (n=14)	368 \pm 125 (n=14)

Subjects included: all patients who did not walk at baseline (for any reason), but walked at 6 months (and had a distance (m) reported).

Walked at 6 Months but not at Baseline	Month 6 (m)
HeartWare HVAD	333 \pm 125 (n=30)
Pagani et al.	326 \pm 232 (n=95)

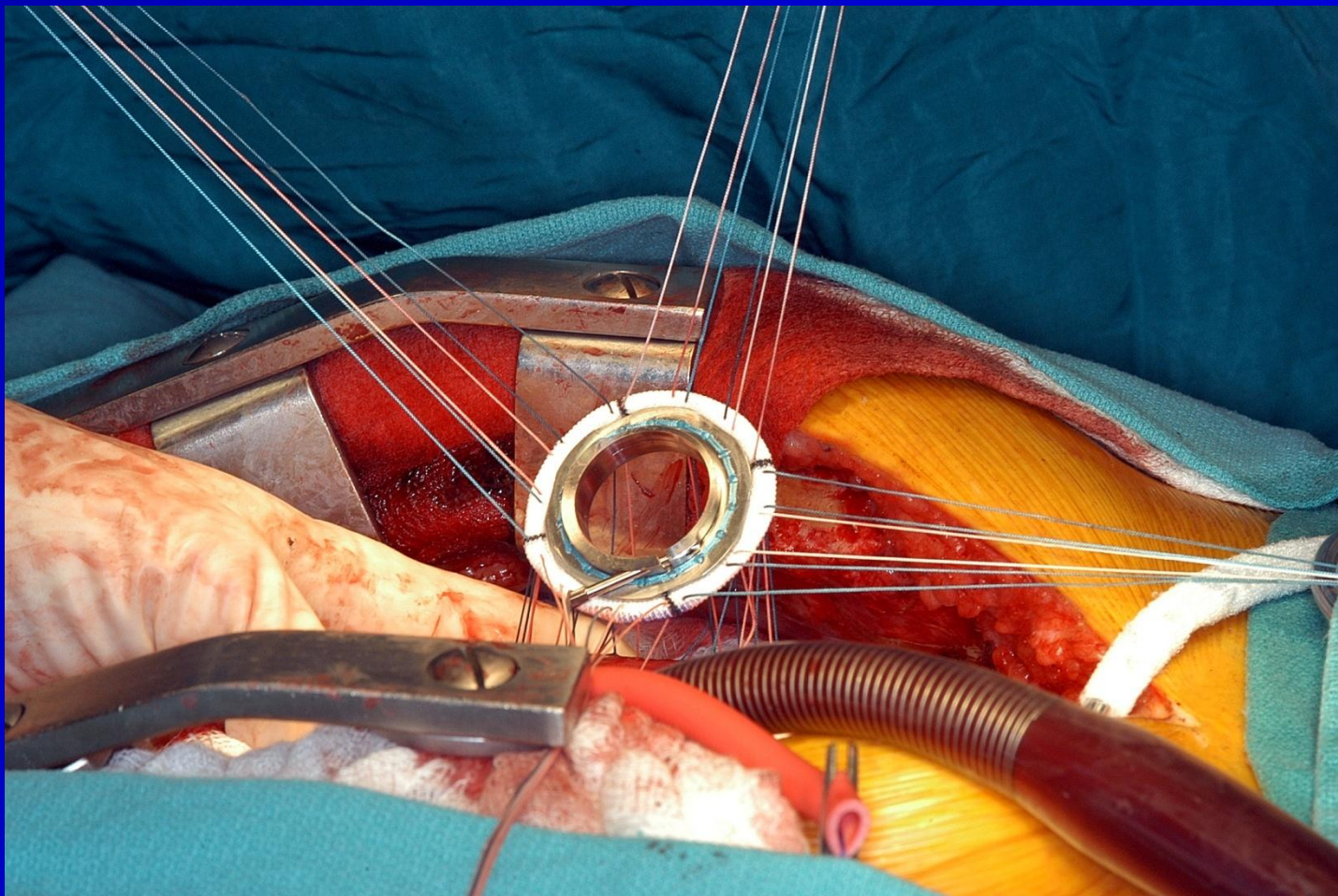
Appendix K Clarification

Patient ID	CEC Serious & Device Related	Description
011-002	2 events	Cardiac tamponade bleed & sepsis/tissue exiting LVAD infection
005-004	-	
002-002	-	
001-005	-	
001-008	1 event	ICVA
003-001	-	
010-002	1 event	ICVA
006-004	-	
017-006	-	
027-010	1 event	Mediastinal bleed
034-005	-	
006-003	1 event	Driveline exit site infection
011-007	-	
006-007	-	

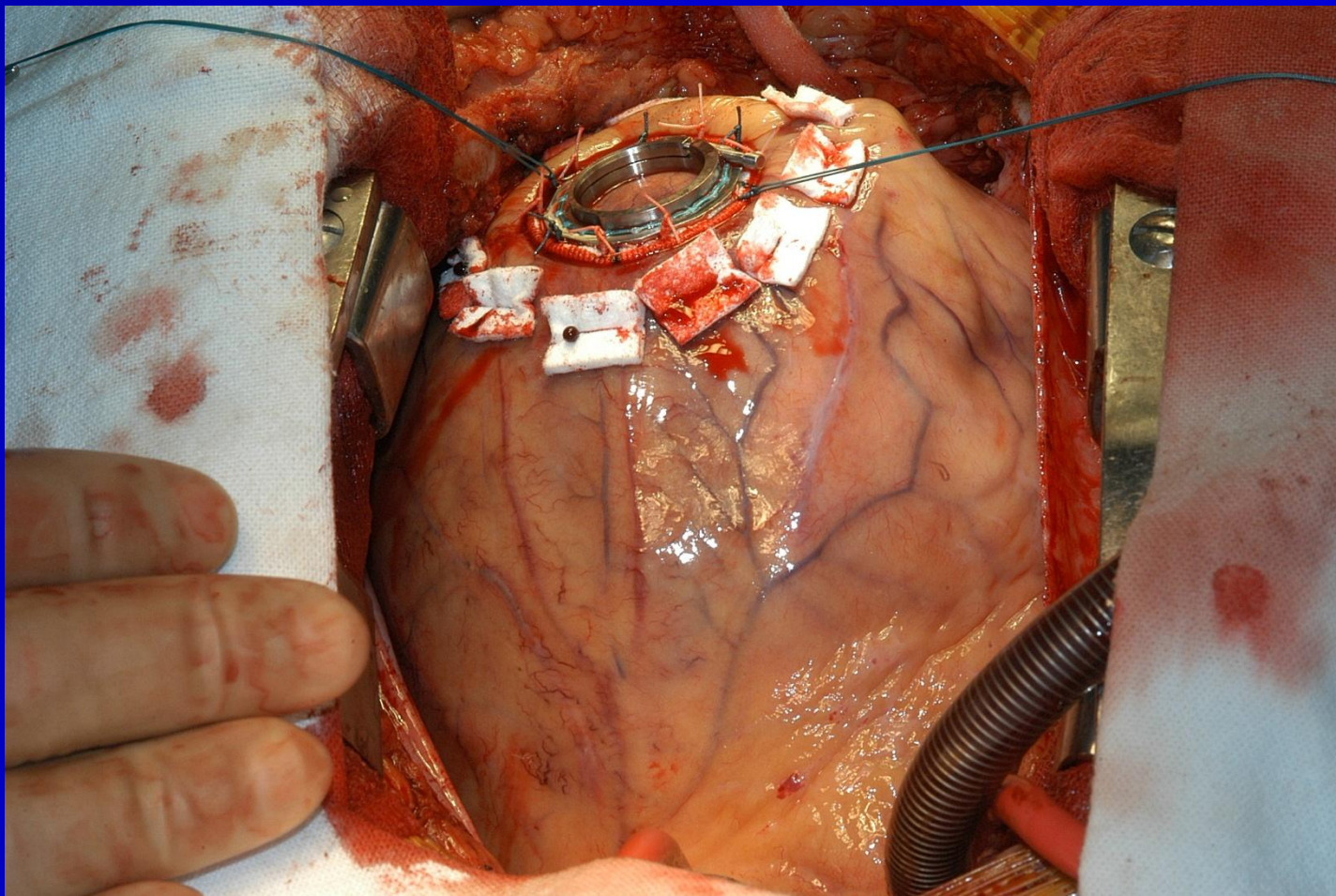
Appendix K Clarification

- Listed are serious AND device related
- Original appendix site reported
- Sites options regarding relatedness
 - Not related – procedure related/patient condition
 - Degrees of Related: unlikely related, possibly related, probably related, related
- CEC doesn't determine degree of relatedness
 - Just determines relatedness in YES or NO fashion

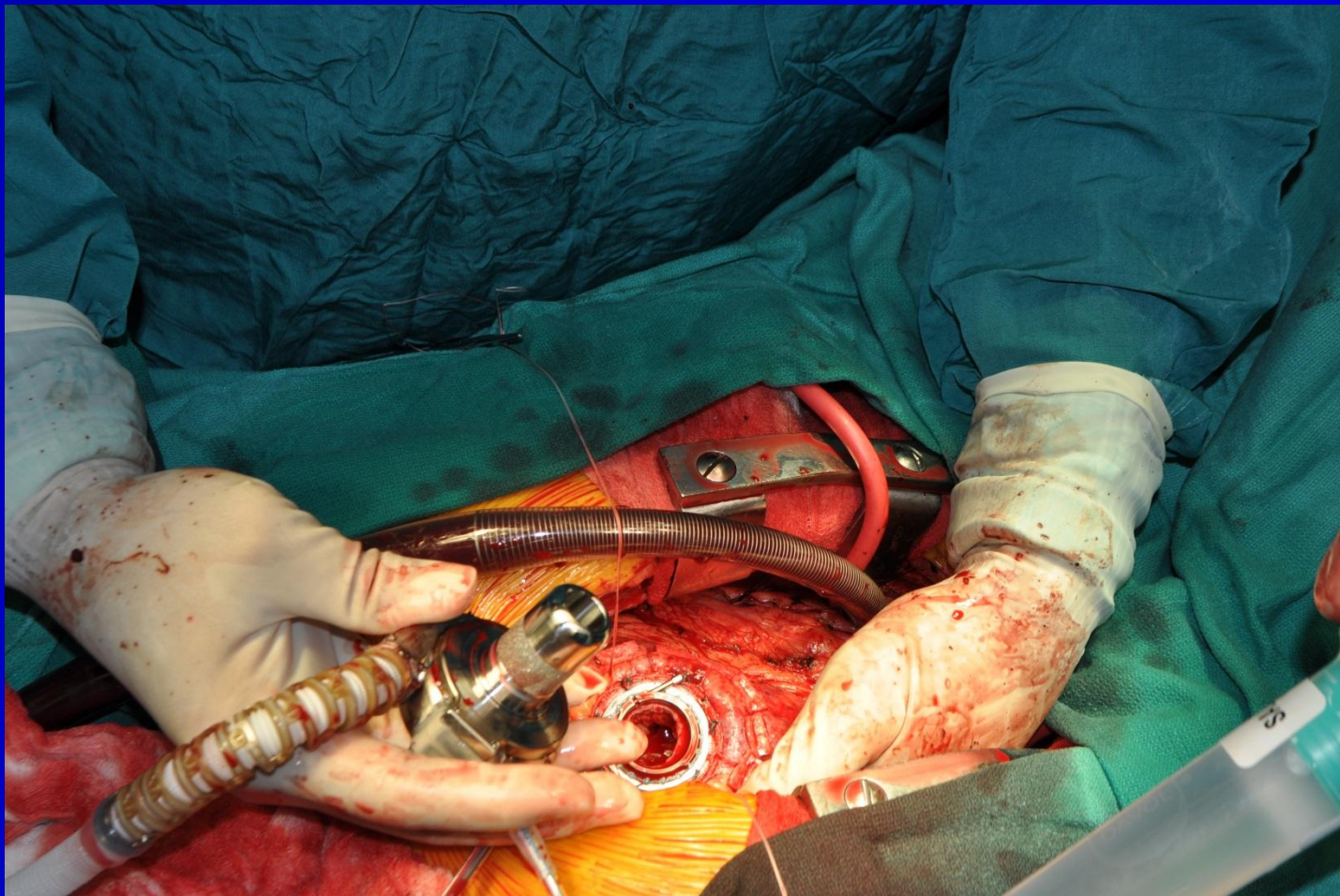
Apical Sewing Ring



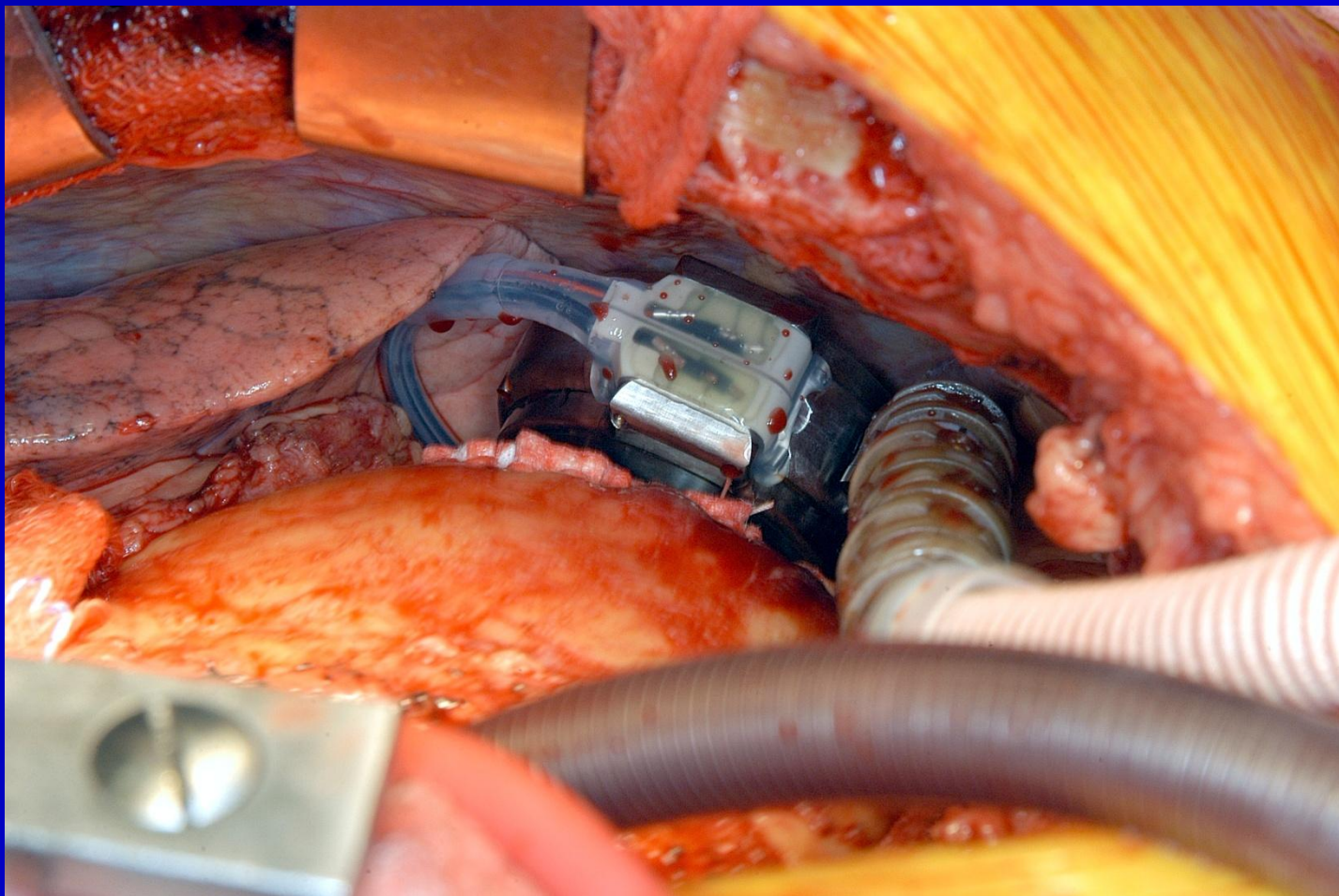
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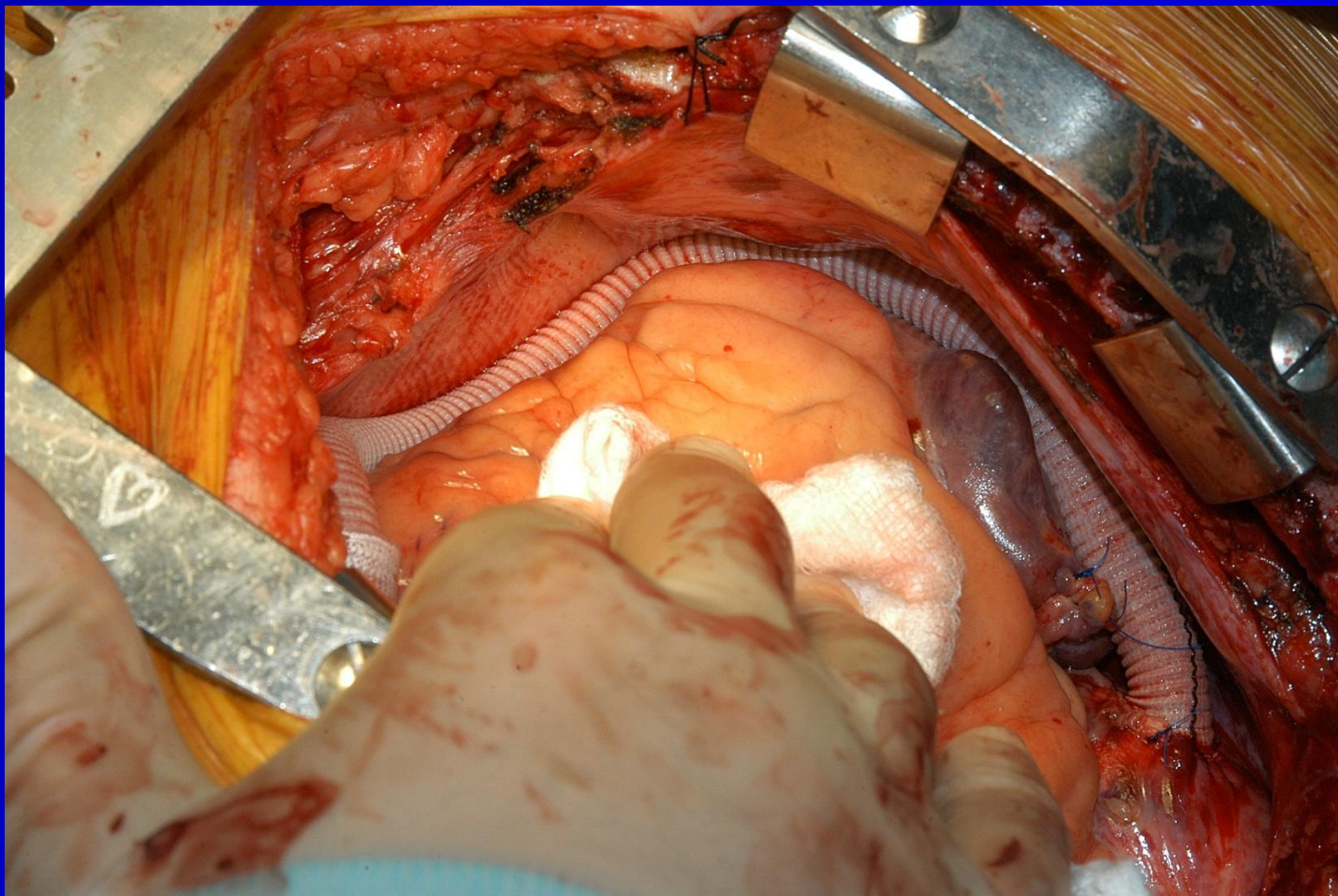
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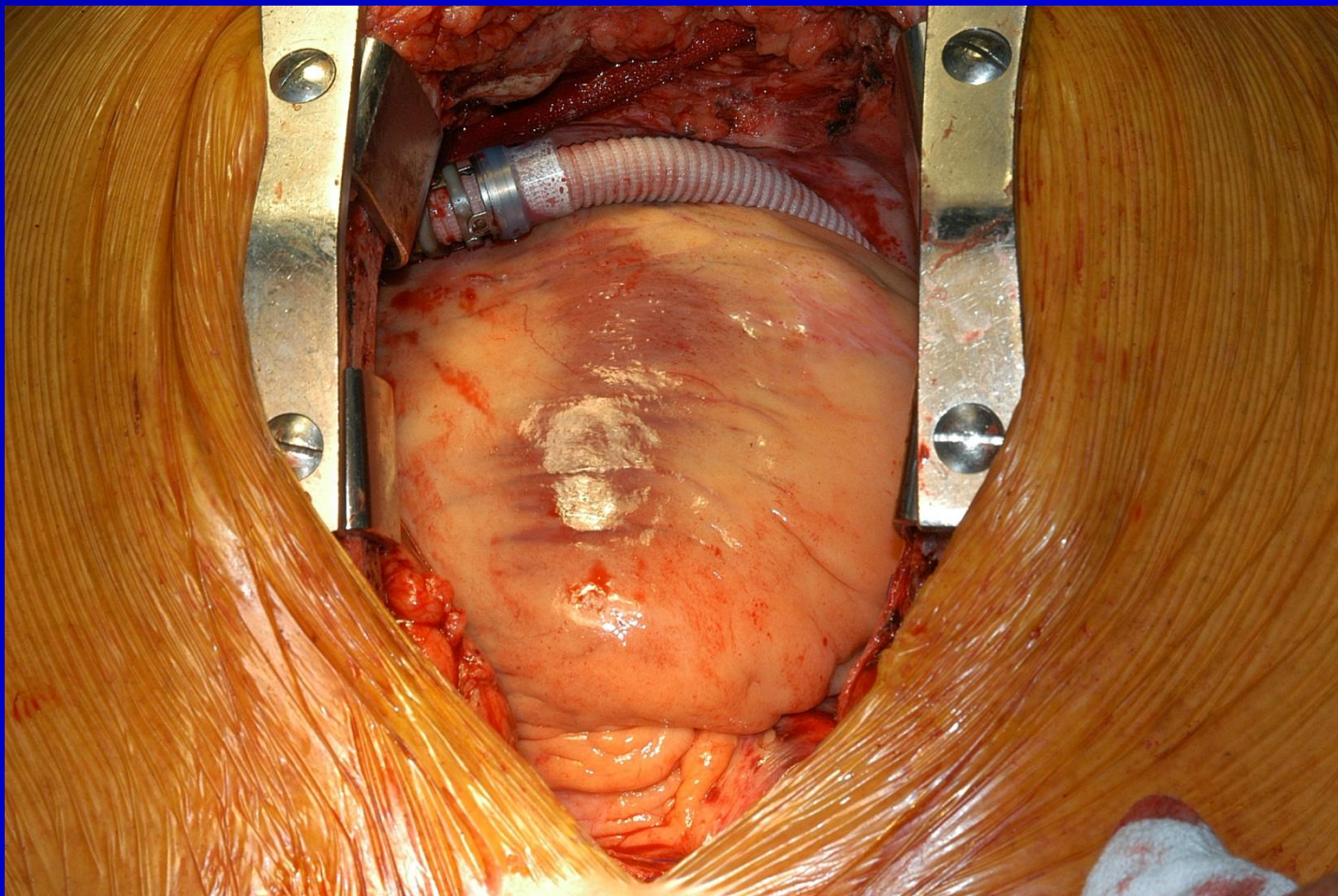
HVAD Implant



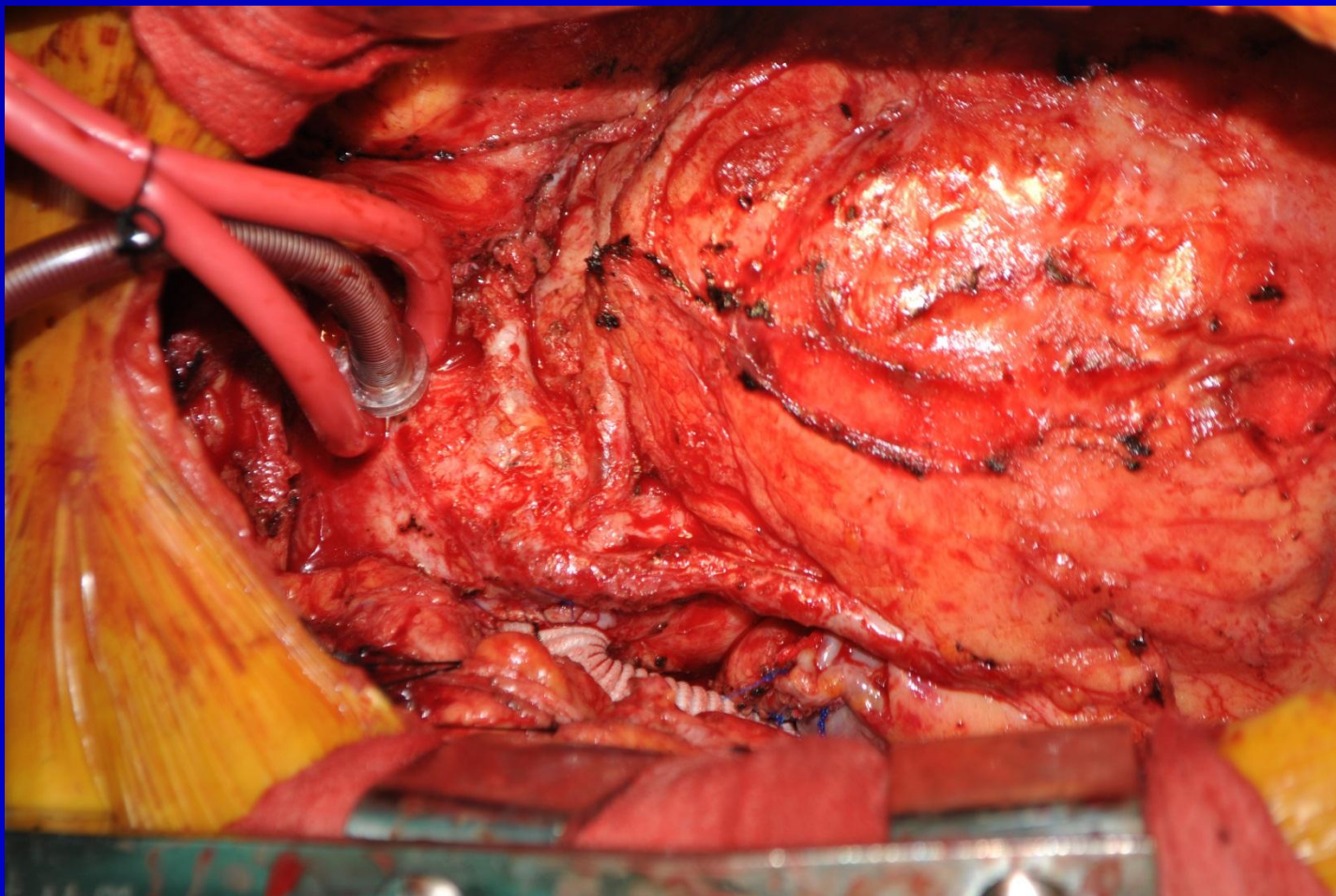
Outflow Graft



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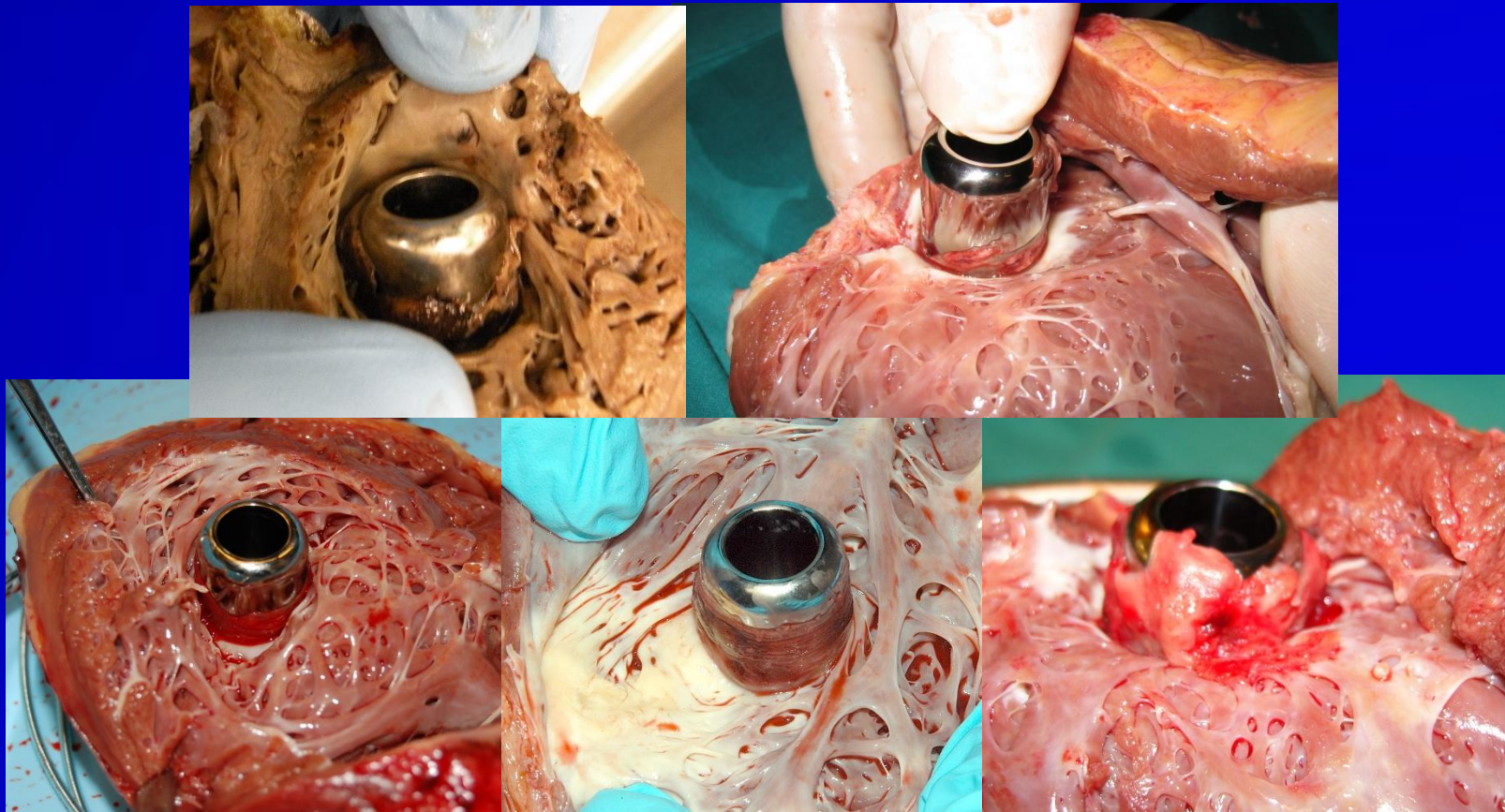
Outflow Graft (limited aortic space)



Sintered Inflow Cannula



Why Sintering Was Added

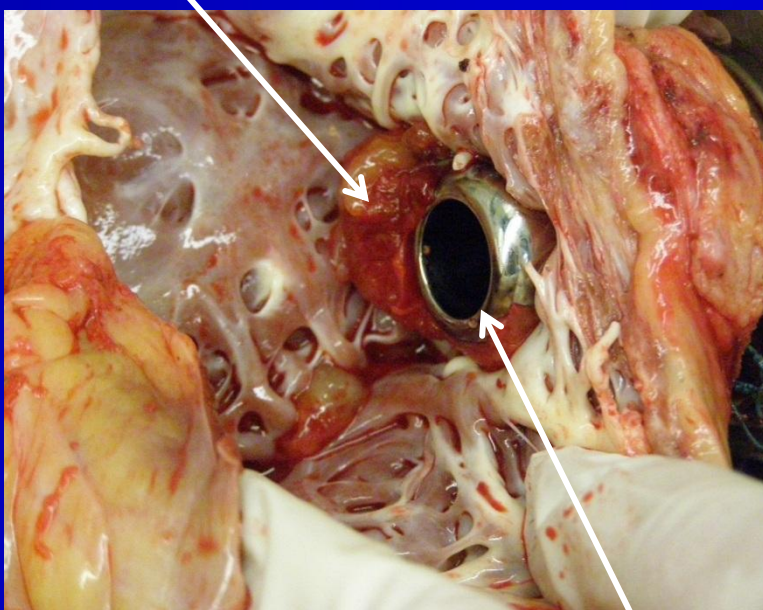


Smooth inflow does not enable tissue incorporation and endothelialization

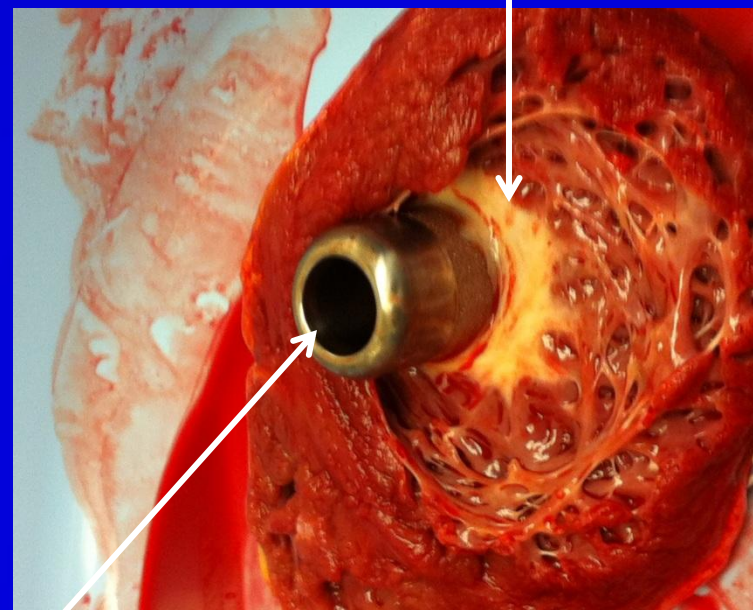
Smooth Inflow: Eccentric Healing Tissue

- Although rare, pannus tissue in the pump inflow has resulted in occlusion and pump replacement

Eccentric Pannus



Healed scar



Pump Inflow

Treatment Emergent Adverse Events – Sintered 0-30 Days Adjudicated (1-2)

Sintered (N=62)			
INTERMACS			
Category Adverse Events	Patients	% Patients	# Events
Re-Hospitalization	0	0%	0
Re-Operation	3	4.8%	3
Transfusion: ≥ 4 within 7 Days	5	8.1%	6
Cardiac Arrhythmia	3	4.8%	3
Ventricular	2	3.2%	2
Supraventricular	1	1.6%	1
Device Malfunction/Failure	0	0%	0
Hemolysis	0	0%	0
Hepatic Dysfunction	1	1.6%	1
Infection	3	4.8%	4
Non-Device Related	3	4.8%	4
Sepsis	0	0%	0
Driveline Exit Site	0	0%	0

Treatment Emergent Adverse Events – Sintered 0-30 Days Adjudicated (2-2)

INTERMACS Category Adverse Events	Sintered (N=62)		
	Patients	% Patients	# Events
Ischemic CVA	0	0%	0
Hemorrhagic CVA*	2	3.2%	2
TIA	0	0%	0
Psychiatric	1	1.6%	1
Renal Dysfunction	0	0%	0
Respiratory Dysfunction	3	4.8%	3
Right Heart Failure Inotropic Therapy	5	8.1%	5
RVAD	2	3.2%	2
Venous Thromboembolism	1	1.6%	1
UADE	0	0%	0
Other	10	16.1%	13

1 Sintered Exchange to date non-thrombus

*Pending adjudication

Performance Goal Assessment: Females

- 29 out of 39 females succeeded (74.4%)
- 10 Failures
 - 4 Patients alive on original device not 1A/1B
 - 3 UNOS status 7
 - 1 UNOS status 2
 - 3 Exchanges
 - 2 Thrombus
 - 1 Right Heart Failure exchanged to a BiVAD
 - 3 Deaths